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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Primary Examiner mailed <u>February 24, 2004</u> finally rejecting <u>claims 49-63</u> and withdrawing from consideration <u>claims 85-110</u>.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$330. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. A Petition for Extension of Time was filed on June 2, 2004 extending the period for response up to and including June 24, 2004. Therefore, Applicants do not believe that any further \$1000139, 03941151

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fees are due in connection with this submission. However, if such extension is due or any other fees are necessary, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to deposit account 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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